

**Maine Revised Statutes**  
**Title 32: PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS**  
**Chapter 31: NURSES AND NURSING**

**§2201-A. QUALIFICATIONS FOR ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSE**

An applicant for approval to practice advanced practice registered nursing shall submit to the board written evidence verified by oath that the applicant: [1995, c. 379, §7 (NEW); 1995, c. 379, §11 (AFF).]

**1. License.** Holds a current license to practice as a registered professional nurse in this State;

[ 1995, c. 379, §7 (NEW); 1995, c. 379, §11 (AFF) .]

**2. Education.** Has successfully completed a formal education program that is acceptable to the board in an advanced nursing specialty area; and

[ 1995, c. 379, §7 (NEW); 1995, c. 379, §11 (AFF) .]

**3. Credential.** Holds a current certification credential for advanced nursing from a national certifying body whose certification program is acceptable to the board.

[ 1995, c. 379, §7 (NEW); 1995, c. 379, §11 (AFF) .]

A registered professional nurse who is approved by the board to practice in accordance with former section 2102, subsection 2, paragraph B on the effective date of this section is considered to have met the requirements of subsections 2 and 3. [1995, c. 379, §7 (NEW); 1995, c. 379, §11 (AFF) .]

**SECTION HISTORY**

1995, c. 379, §7 (NEW). 1995, c. 379, §11 (AFF).

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